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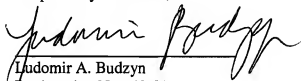
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This reference was cited in a European Search Report issued in European Application No. EP 10 18 9652, which is a counterpart filing to the subject U.S. application. A copy of the Search Report is attached for the Examiner's review.

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Favorable action is earnestly solicited. If there are any questions or if additional information is required, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Applicants' attorney at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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